

EXHIBIT B

CAUSE NO. 416-01222-2019

**EDWARD BUTOWSKY in his individual
and professional capacities,**

Plaintiff,

v.

SUSMAN GODFREY, LLP,

Defendant.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT

416th JUDICIAL DISTRICT

COLLIN COUNTY, TEXAS

**ORDER GRANTING DEFENDANT SUSMAN GODFREY'S
MOTION TO DISMISS WITH PREJUDICE**

On May 20, 2019, came to be heard Defendant Susman Godfrey, LLP's ("Defendant") Motion to Dismiss filed on April 1, 2019 (the "Motion"). Having considered the Motion, the pleadings on file, the evidence presented, and the arguments of counsel, the Court is of the opinion that Plaintiff Edward Butowsky in his individual and professional capacities ("Plaintiff") has failed to establish by clear and specific evidence a prima facie case of each essential element of his defamation claim, his malicious prosecution claim, and his claim under New York Judiciary Law § 487 and that Defendant has established by a preponderance of the evidence the defense of attorney immunity and that therefore the Motion should be GRANTED in its entirety.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED that Plaintiff's claims against Defendant are hereby dismissed with prejudice.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Plaintiff's Response in Opposition to Motion to Dismiss (and supporting evidence) filed on May 20, 2019 at 8:02 a.m. is hereby stricken as untimely.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Plaintiff's Motion to Permit Discovery filed on May 20, 2019 at 8:02 a.m. is DENIED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Defendant be awarded reasonable attorneys' fees in the amount of \$18,000.00 incurred in defending against this lawsuit pursuant to TEX. CIV. PRAC. & REM. CODE § 27.009.

This Order is a final order and fully resolves and disposes of all of Plaintiff's claims and causes of action against Defendant in this action and is appealable.

SIGNED this _____ day of 5/22/2019, 2019.

Andrea S. Thompson
PRESIDING JUDGE

AGREED AS TO FORM:

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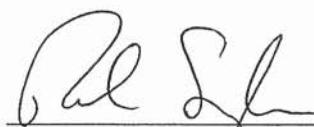
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